



## **DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

### **Drug Enforcement Administration**

**Manufacturer of Controlled Substances Registration: Halo Pharmaceutical, Inc.**

**[Docket No. DEA-392]**

**ACTION:** Notice of registration.

**SUMMARY:** Halo Pharmaceutical, Inc. applied to be registered as a manufacturer of certain basic classes of controlled substances. The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) grants Halo Pharmaceutical, Inc. registration as a manufacturer of those controlled substances.

### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

By notice dated October 13, 2015, and published in the *Federal Register* on October 21, 2015, 80 FR 63838, Halo Pharmaceutical, Inc., 30 North Jefferson Road, Whippany, New Jersey 07981 applied to be registered as a manufacturer of certain basic classes of controlled substances. No comments or objections were submitted for this notice.

The DEA has considered the factors in 21 U.S.C. 823(a) and determined that the registration of Halo Pharmaceutical, Inc. to manufacture the basic classes of controlled substances is consistent with the public interest and with United States obligations under international treaties, conventions, or protocols in effect on May 1, 1971. The DEA investigated the company's maintenance of effective controls against diversion by inspecting and testing the company's physical security systems, verifying the company's compliance with state and local laws, and reviewing the company's background and history.

Therefore, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 823(a), and in accordance with 21 CFR 1301.33, the above-named company is granted registration as a bulk manufacturer of the following basic classes of controlled substances:

<b><u>Controlled Substance</u></b>	<b><u>Schedule</u></b>
Dihydromorphine (9145)	I
Hydromorphone (9150)	II

The company plans to manufacture Hydromorphone HCl for sale to other manufacturers and to manufacture other controlled substances for distribution to its customers. Dihydromorphine is an intermediate in the manufacture of Hydromorphone and is not for commercial distribution.

Dated: March 14, 2016

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*Deputy Assistant Administrator.*